



PUBLIC RECORDS REQUEST

Date of Request: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip Code: _____

Daytime Phone Number: _____

Information/Records Requested (Please be specific.):

Allow three working days for the Town to process a request. In extenuating circumstances, the Town may require up to seven working days to respond to a request.

Signature: _____

See fee schedule on the other side of this page for a summary of charges.

OFFICE USE ONLY:

Request denied in whole or in part by: _____

If denied, in whole or in part, basis for denial (include citation to statute that is basis for denial)

Deposit required? Yes No

Estimated Fees: _____ Amount of deposit: _____

Date and time information requested will be available:

Date: _____ Time: _____ AM/PM (circle one)

Applicable Fees: _____ Amount Paid: _____

Town of Firestone Public Records Policy and Procedures

Public Records

The Town Clerk is the official custodian of all public records, except criminal justice records as defined by C.R.S. § 24-72-302, and will process all requests for public records pursuant to C.R.S. Section 24-72-203(1)(a) of the Public Records Act (the "Act"). A Public Records Request form must be filed with the Town Clerk to initiate a request for public records. This policy applies to public records of the Town and the Firestone Urban Renewal Authority.

Criminal Justice Records

The Firestone Police Department, through its Court Clerk, administers criminal justice records as defined by C.R.S. § 24-72-302. The maintenance, inspection and dissemination of the criminal justice records shall be in accordance with state statutes and the policy and procedures promulgated by the Firestone Police Department. If the records requested are criminal justice records, the requestor must file a records request with the Firestone Police Department.

Procedures

The Town Clerk will notify the applicant of the completion of process of a public records request, the availability of the public records, and the cost of service, including copying charges for any requested copies and research or other fees. Records subject to nondisclosure by law or under the Act will be withheld from inspection as provided by the Act.

The Town has three working days to process requests, and in extenuating circumstances, up to seven working days to respond to open records requests.

Fees

Fees for public records will be calculated based on the attached fee schedule for the cost of copies and staff research time in processing a records request. If the estimated cost of copying exceeds \$10.00, the Town Clerk will require the requestor to deposit the full amount of the estimate prior to fulfilling the request. The Town will return any amount of the deposit which is in excess of the actual charge, and shall collect any amount by which the actual charge exceeds the amount deposited. Copying costs and research fees must be paid in full prior to the times copies are made or the records are provided to the requestor.

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Photo Copy Fees

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| Standard Photo copies | \$0.25 per page |
| Telefaxed copies/certified copies | \$1.25 per page |
| Research and retrieval fee | \$15.00 per hour (time required in excess of one hour) \$20.00 per hour (time required in excess of one hour for exceptionally voluminous requests estimated to take in excess of three hours of staff time) |

Fees for Copies of Maps

The following fees are for reproduction of color, GIS, or other non-standard maps, which require use of a plotter or use of a large format copier:

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| 8.5" X 11" | \$10.00 |
| 11" X 17" | \$13.00 |
| 18" X 24" | \$16.00 |
| 24" X 36" | \$20.00 |
| 36" X 58" | \$25.00 |

Miscellaneous Fees

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| Postage/Mailing fees | Actual cost applicable on mail requests |
| Photographs | \$15.00 plus cost of copies |
| Video Tape/DVD | \$15.00 per tape/DVD |
| Audio Tape/CD | \$15.00 - \$66.00* per tape/CD (*recorded in ¼ time) |
| Notary fee | \$1.25 per page |

The fees set forth above are subject to change without notice.

By paying with a check, you authorize us to make a one-time electronic debit from your bank or asset account for the amount of the check. For inquiries, please call (303) 833-3291.